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My dear Son

I am just in receipt of the following
from the Mgr of the Cent. H. W. office here.
"Your dispatch dated 4th Cheyney forwarded
to Palace Hotel is undelivered. Please
hurry not at" & which I assume is the one
I ordered repeated for Reading. I guess you
will get all along with the letters some time.
I feel that I have sent you very lame replies
to your father and will write a letter of 25th all.
which covers all the ground so fully. I am flabby
of late in both mind and muscle, and having
lost weight I have become lazy also about
the physical effort of writing - and I know
I dictate carelessly. But I really think that I
feel a little more life and vigor within the past
few days. I find by being weighed today
that I have held my own in weight for the
last month - in fact I am 3 pounds heavier
than I was that many months ago - and I
certainly think I am also equally strong and
is not true sooner in my work than a few years.

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Well, I know, be a great disappointment to both you
and Mamma if she does not go with me, but my
trip will be rapid and I shall stay in each
place no longer than is absolutely necessary &
I can really move with more freedom alone as I
should have to hurry her and the improvement
which her physician reports in her condition might
be checked by this rapid and necessarily somewhat
troublesome journey and should always regret such an effect.
Besides everything in the life at old farm is just
coming into the condition which she so much en-
joys - flowers and blossoms will soon be in pro-
fusion there and she would have to leave
when they are just in their spring perfection.
I should like to make my trip within 10
weeks if possible. I mean not longer than that
way from here - possibly it might take me un-
til July 1st. I do not yet know if we shall not
shut down (practically) at Tombstone then. I have
decided to run until then even if at a small
loss each month as we will do some development
work in the hope of having some future. And in

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this connection I recall what you so well said
 regarding Senator Sherman. The lines are be-
 ing more sharply drawn, each succeeding day
 one may say, reducing the issue to whether
 bi-metalism and gold monometallism.
 Papers and men who a short time ago repelled
 the charge that they were working for a single
 gold standard now come out boldly as for in-
 stance the enclosed from my friend's Col. Seligman.
 I do not know that I can add any-
 thing of importance to this - You will get
 all of these scraps within this month, some-
 where - and we must meet and have a talk
 to arrange both for Jameson and Bangor -
 also for Mammoth - meantime you are pro-
 vided for Jameson as I understand it by the
 use of all of my checks on that account and
 there is another check for Whitworth (\$750)
 in your mail - and I will send you a check
 on California Bank on Bangor for \$500. when
 you need it, or telegram from you, I would ra-
 ther do this than that you should draw on me.
 This is me when you receive this and where you
 will be. I shall be here until it is possibly
 a few days longer. Every off. father off. Chumney